The President announced his designation of Jennifer Anne Hillman as Vice Chairman of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

The President declared a major disaster in Minnesota and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, tornadoes, and flooding on June 9 and continuing.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted June 11

Fern Flanagan Saddler,

of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of 15 years, vice Patricia A. Wynn, retired.

Submitted June 13

Robert J. Battista,

of Michigan, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board for the term of 5 years expiring August 27, 2006, vice Peter J. Hurtgen.

Rebecca Dye,

of North Carolina, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner for the term expiring June 30, 2005, vice John A. Moran, term expired.

Earl A. Powell III,

of Virginia, to be a member of the National Council on the Arts for a term expiring September 3, 2006, vice Townsend D. Wolfe III, term expired.

William A. Schambra,

of Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring September 14, 2006, vice Carol W. Kinsley, term expired.

Donna N. Williams,

of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2006, vice Robert B. Rogers, term expired.

Submitted June 14

Aurelia E. Brazeal,

of Georgia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia.

Cheryl Feldman Halpern,

of New Jersey, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring January 31, 2008, vice Heidi H. Schulman, term expired.

J. Anthony Holmes,

of California, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Burkina Faso.

Nancy C. Pellett,

of Iowa, to be a member of the Farm Credit Administration Board, Farm Credit Administration for a term expiring May 31, 2008, vice Ann Jorgensen, term expired.

W. Scott Railton,

of Virginia, to be a member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 2007, vice Gary L. Visscher, term expired.

Withdrawn June 14

Cheryl Feldman Halpern,

of New Jersey, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for the remainder of the term expiring January 31, 2004, vice Diane D. Blair, which was sent to the Senate on November 9, 2001.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released June 10

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Transcript of remarks by Homeland Security Director Tom Ridge to the National Association of Broadcasters Education Foundation 2002 Service to America Summit

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 3167

Released June 11

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Announcement of nomination for an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia

Released June 12

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Released June 13

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Indiana

Fact sheet: Businesses Strengthening America: Corporate Leaders Plan for Answering the President's Call to Service

Announcement: Businesses Strengthening America: Answers to the Call

Released June 14

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Minnesota

Acts Approved by the President

Approved June 10

H.R. 3167 / Public Law 107–187 Gerald B.H. Solomon Freedom Consolidation Act of 2002

Approved June 12

H.R. 3448 / Public Law 107–188 Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002

Approved June 14

S. 1372 / Public Law 107–189 Export-Import Bank Reauthorization Act of 2002